ANSIES STAND FOR THOUGHTS

As A Woman (Zura Todd) Thinketh!

July 1, 1996



Zura Gooch Todd, age 91 thinks about the delicious vine-ripened tomatoes and lovely dahlias growing in her garden. It was a "Blue Ribbon crop". Then Jan. 30, 1997 she "landed" in the hospital. Feb. 10, 1997 she went to Gainsville "Rehab".



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With rehabilitation at Northeast Georgia Medical center in Gainesville we expect to see her on the way back to Branan Lodge (and an occasional outing at The Barrett House). She may need to do her first outdoor walking on the sidewalk provided for Branan Lodge residents (with benches).



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The winter garden spot "waits" for the "master farmerette". Two other Lodge residents had a garden plot. Nell and James helped in '96 and James says he can overcome his stroke if Mother can and will help again! Branan Lodge is across from the garden. It is about 1½ miles from Nell's home.



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Visitors Parking. Elsie's car at Branan Lodge
parking for visitors. a short walk takes
one to the front entrance. There is a
side door for loading and unloading. Also,
one may use it for picnic area/hiking.



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Faye Townsend sitting at large front window - favorite place to see cars arriving and people departing.
"Front door" of apt. 108 - Dahlias (plastic) on hat for representing Todd's Dahlia Farm.



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This bed is always freshly aired after a nights rest. Then instead of going back to bed she goes for a marathon hike on Tom Satterfield Court!



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The incline of this road was not captured on this film. It is truly a steep hill - even for the engine of the '98 Oldsmobile shown in the driveway below. The first picture shows "up" the hill and the second one is "down" from the same spot.



There are other steep parts where Zura Todd has walked "many-a-mile" in varied weather.

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The bench, above, was purchased for this area. Zura Todd's walking the one mile hike, with no stopping to sit, is more than most folks, old or young, would endure! Below, is plaque on bench.



PANSIES STAND FOR THOUGHTS — Thoughts of how your fine sons and daughters, your many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and many friends are hoping and praying for your return to Branan Lodge --- to sleep, eat, visit, garden - or whatever makes your life richer!



Left (youngest) to right (oldest):
Thelma
George
Elsie
Marion (Buddy)
Nell



↑ Feb. 3, 1997 at Nell's



The End

Zura Todd's great-grands - Nell's grands.
Oct. 5, 1996
Z. T. in garden with 4 Halliday grandchildren

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